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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS Weiss, et al.

FOR: IN VITRO AND IN VIVO PROLIFERATION AND USE OF
MULTIPOTENT STEM CELLS AND THEIR PROGENY

August 9, 2001

Boston, Massachusetts

Box PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUING UTILITY APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

1. This is a request for filing a continuing application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).
This application is a continuation of United States patent application 08/484,203, filed on June 7, 1995.
2. Priority to the above application is claimed under:
☒ 35 U.S.C. §120
United States patent application 08/484,203, filed on June 7, 1995
Examiner: R. Hayes, Art unit: 1647

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

3. ☒ Specification (Total pages: 103):
Claims (3 pages); Abstract (1 page); and
4. ☒ Declaration (total pages: 3)
☒ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))
5. ☒ Incorporation by reference

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:

6. ☒ Preliminary Amendment

A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed herewith. Please enter the claim amendments prior to calculating the filing fee.

7. Fee Calculation:

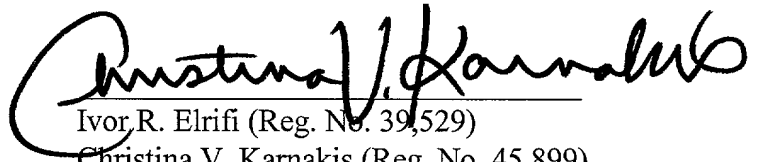
| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------|--|---|
| Claims | Number Filed | Basic Fee Allowance | Number Extra | Rate | Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. §1.16(a) \$710.00 |
| Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c)) | 3 | - 20 = | | \$ 18.00 | \$ |
| Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b)) | 1 | - 3 = | | \$78.00 | \$0 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims, if any (37 C.F.R. §1.16(d)) | 0 | | | \$260.00 | \$0.00 |
| | | | | SUBTOTAL: | \$710.00 |
| | | | | Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity: | - \$355.00 |
| | | | | TOTAL FEE: | \$355.00 |

8. ☒ A check in the amount of **\$355.00** is enclosed.
9. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 17810-705 (CTI-N5 DIV11 CON).

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10. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard Enclosed.

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